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CALIFORNIA WEATHER

No weather forecast was announced for today.

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U. S. SINKS 3 TRANSPORTS

Tanker Escapes Submarine Attack

3 TORPEDOES GO WIDE OF MARK

San Luis Obispo Rocked By Force Of Explosions In Before Dawn Attack

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—A Japanese submarine attacked another tanker off the California coast today between Point Arguello and Estero Bay.

Without warning the undersea-raft came upon the tanker, as yet unidentified, shelled it heavily, apparently fired three torpedoes at it—but failed to sink it.

The tanker was able to make its way to Estero Bay.

Estero Bay is 50 miles north of Point Arguello where a submarine shelled the Standard Oil tanker H. M. Storey yesterday morning.

Point Arguello is 50 miles north of Santa Barbara.

Shelling Heard

SAN LUIS OBISPO, (AP)—Heavy shelling followed by a loud explosion was heard off Point Estero, 20 miles north of here shortly before dawn today, the sheriff's office reported.

Constable Roy Genardini of the coastal town of Cayucos, 15 miles north of here, said the explosion and shelling came from the sea at a point some six miles off Point Estero.

Genardini told the sheriff's office he believed the explosion to be an oil tanker.

Two shots were heard a few minutes before the explosion rocked the countryside and heavy shelling continued for an hour and a half.

The explosion was felt in San Luis Obispo.

Sheriff's deputies were dispatched to the scene immediately to check. Foggy and misty weather along the coast reduced visibility considerably.

Constable Genardini in a telephone message to the sheriff's office said residents along the Point Estero coast were awakened shortly after 4 a. m. by two shots which apparently were fired from the sea a short distance off Point Estero.

Immediately there followed a loud explosion that rattled windows throughout the town.

Stop-Gap Funds Are Approved

Temporary Defense Money Voted As Legislators Resess Until Jan. 12th

SACRAMENTO, (AP)—The California legislature was in recess today until Jan. 12 after voting a stop gap appropriation of \$1,000,000 for war-time defense needs, including temporary financing of the state guard.

The senate and assembly after four hours of wrangling among themselves and with Gov. Culbert L. Olson, agreed on the recess to give a joint committee time to investigate additional emergency financing for the guard and various state departments.

A prolonged assembly deadlock for a time threatened the proposed recess. However, a vote-switch in the early morning hours on a free conference committee recess report gave anti-Olson leaders victory.

Clocks in both houses were stopped before the 11 p. m. deadline last night for recess. The senate timepiece remained stopped since a recess was taken before midnight until 10 a. m. today.

The free conference report, resisted to the last ditch by administration forces, empowered the assembly speaker and senate president pro tempore to call the legislature back into session before Jan. 12 if the joint committee completes its study before that time or an emergency arises.

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HORSE, MULE CENSUS

Owners Asked To Report To Farm Advisor On Stock By January 10

A registration of all horses and mules between the ages of three and ten years, inclusive, has been called for by the Headquarters Western Remount Area, at San Mateo.

An announcement from Lieut. Col. F. W. Koester, officer in charge, states that despite mechanization of military equipment there is still wide use for horses and mules in the military service.

Owners of livestock are asked to report to their Farm Advisor not later than January 10.

Their report should state the age, sex and color of the horses or mules they have; whether the animal is a riding or draft type, broken or unbroken, and whether or not it is necessary for the owner's own use.

"It is desired to emphasize that this is not a draft of animal resources and that it seems most unlikely that this will ever be necessary," Lieut. Col. Koester reports.

"When horses or mules are needed, they will be purchased. Prompt registration of animals of a useful military age is simply a most desirable step in our defense preparations. Registration of animals at this time is voluntary, but obviously a patriotic obligation."

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LIFE DIPLOMA RECOMMENDED FOR HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER

The county Board of Education, in semi-annual session at the school administration offices at the courthouse on Monday, recommended granting a life diploma in the general secondary grade to Leland T. Cook, of the county high school faculty.

In addition to undertaking a study of the requirements for eighth grade graduation, other business of the board included the formulation of a proposed code of school sanitation.

This was developed by the school board in conference with Dr. A. A. McKinnon county health officer, was a speaker on the subject at the recent institute meeting of school trustees.

The code is to be compiled and distributed to school janitors throughout the county for their guidance in their work.

70,000 Defense Booklets Ordered By State

SACRAMENTO, (AP)—Approximately \$3,000 in state funds will be spent for production of 70,000 defense booklets by the state printing plant, it was announced by State Printer George Moore.

The pamphlets, ordered by the state council of defense, include 50,000 copies of a handbook for air raid wardens, 10,000 books of instruction on blackout procedure and 10,000 books on the air raid warning system.

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd I. Brauer and son, Floyd, are here from Los Angeles to spend the holiday season with relatives at the Shepard ranch, at Fruit Ridge.

QUARTER OF QUOTA IS RAISED

Red Cross War Relief Fund Campaign Continuing To Top \$2,000 Goal Set

With one-quarter of the \$2,000 quota achieved, members of the county Red Cross Chapter are making plans for re-doubling their effort to put El Dorado County "over the top" at the earliest possible moment in the nation-wide \$50,000,000 campaign.

Mrs. R. A. Sinclair, chairman of the campaign, said that the first five-hundred dollars of the drive has been raised, largely, by voluntary contributions made at desks maintained by the campaign organization in the bank, the Hotel Raffles and the postoffice in Placerville, and from special gifts directed to the campaign officers.

Among those from whom special gifts have been received this week are J. O. Spurgin, Arthur J. Kozietzke, Lee Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Doe, Henry N. T. Schultz, J. W. Landis, Joseph Pils, Purity Stores, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ward.

"Our desks are maintained at the postoffice, at Hotel Raffles and at the bank in Placerville and everywhere who plans to contribute to the campaign may help in the work if he will leave his contribution at one of these desks," Mrs. Sinclair said.

Under the direction of Mrs. Florence Sweeney, chairman in the campaign for rural activities, plans are being launched by several organizations in the rural county for a series of community events to swell the campaign total.

The campaign committee reports that preparations are being made for a community event on the south side of the county and that the Cammino Timberinos are planning a dance to benefit the fund.

Hangtown Grange has made a cash contribution and plans for a community undertaking at Missouri Flat have been started and a similar announcement has come from the Cool and Pilot Hill section, Mrs. Sinclair said.

While no date has been suggested for the conclusion of the campaign, Mrs. Sinclair said that the chapter has been asked to supply its quota as quickly as possible.

300 Served At Eagles Dinner

Aerie Members Hosts To Auxiliary At Social On Monday Night

Members of Placerville Aerie No. 889, F. O. E., were hosts to the wives of aerie members and to the members of the Placerville Eagles Auxiliary, at a social and entertainment on Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall.

A turkey supper was served to upward of three hundred, the committee in charge reports.

Each group, the Eagles and their Auxiliary, met separately earlier in the evening for their regular business sessions and then, at the invitation of the aerie, the auxiliary joined with the Eagles for the social doings of the later evening.

In addition to exhibition dances by the Pioneer Quadrille Club, and to the supper, the evening included social dancing until a late hour. Arthur A. Mart headed the committee on arrangements and Will Wigglesworth was chairman for the turkey supper.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Rossi, of Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Cole, of Hawthorne, this state, are here to spend the holidays with the parents of the ladies, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wood.

Santa Loses Pants As Car Pilfering Continues

Placerville police redoubled their efforts to apprehend sneak thieves pilfering from cars of Christmas shoppers on Tuesday as the sheriff's office reported the theft of a Santa Claus suit from a car parked in the rear of the courthouse on Monday night.

The thief not only took Santa's pants, but his jacket, cap and all that goes with it, from a machine parked about eight o'clock and to which the owner returned at 11:30 to find the suit gone.

Of course, boys and girls, Santa Claus won't catch cold when he makes his rounds, because he can get another suit in the twinkling of an eye, but those suits cost about \$15 each and someone has done a very mean trick which may prevent Santa Claus from appearing personally at some of the local Christmas parties.

Chief of Police Ralph W. Jones said Tuesday morning that the extent of pilfering from cars in the community is not great, but that when Christmas packages are taken the nature of the thefts is one of concern and police are bending every effort to apprehend the thieves.

Meanwhile, he again appealed for Christmas shoppers to be sure to lock their cars. The cars will not be tagged for over-time parking, he said, so long as they are parked in legal parking zones.

"Of course," he suggested, "we ought to all work together and not park in the business area any longer than is necessary, so that everyone may have the chance to complete his shopping conveniently."

2-YEAR-OLD DIES AFTER CHOKING ON PIECE OF WALNUT

Martha Caroline Young, one of the two-year-old twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young, of Gold Hill, and formerly of Placerville, passed away Monday afternoon at a hospital at Sacramento.

The funeral services are being planned to be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Seventh Day Adventist Church in this city. Interment will be at Union Cemetery. Memory Chapel is in charge.

The babe is reported to have been eating a piece of walnut or a piece of cracker when she fell over backward and whatever she was eating lodged in her wind-pipe. A physician was called and the tot was taken to the hospital at Sacramento, where every effort to dislodge the obstruction was without avail and she passed away.

The child, born March 5, 1939, is survived by her parents and her twin sister Marilyn and a brother, Stanley, aged 7.

SEWING OF BANDAGES WAITS ON ORDER OF MILITARY FORCES

Mrs. Ethel Wicks, production chairman of the county Red Cross chapter, reported Tuesday that she has received word from the Pacific Area headquarters that instructions are being awaited concerning the work of making bandages and surgical dressings.

An inquiry, offering the services of the local production department in that regard, had been addressed to the headquarters by Mrs. Wicks.

The reply states that bandages and dressings are being made by some chapters of the area and that further work of this nature is being held up pending instructions. The reply also expressed an appreciation of the interest shown by the production department in the work.

Lee Lovless was among the callers in the county seat from El Dorado on Tuesday attending to Christmas shopping and other business and pleasure.

R. M. Lutz has brought suit undertaking an attachment against Alfred L. Hamilton in the amount of \$397.63.

Air Heroes in Pacific War



Here are five of the six American airmen, who, the War Department said in its eighth communique of the war, performed "numerous feats of heroism" during the surprise Japanese attack on Honolulu. Top, left to right: Lieut. Harry W. Brown of Amarillo, Tex., shot down one of the enemy planes; Lieut. George S. Welch of Wilmington, Del., credited with shooting down four Jap planes. Bottom, left to right: Lieut. Kenneth M. Taylor of Hominy, Okla., downed two Jap planes; Lieut. Philip M. Rasmussen of Boston, Mass., who shot down a Jap plane over Sch field Barracks; Lieut. Gordon H. Sterling, Jr., of West Hartford, Conn., located formation of six enemy planes and destroyed one.

TRUCK SURVEY UNDER WAY

Registration Does Not Conflict With State Check, Says Council Of Defense

Cards are being mailed all truck owners of the county in a transportation survey, it was announced Tuesday by A. H. Murray, chairman of the Transportation Committee of the County Council of Defense.

Urging a prompt response to the survey, Mr. Murray said that the Council of Defense survey does not conflict with the recent state survey, and that truck owners should respond to both surveys.

Mr. Murray said that the information requested on the return portion of the card is required in the defense program and that the card should be filled in and returned promptly.

Truck owners who do not receive a card and who can supply a truck in the event of an emergency are requested to address the Council of Defense Transportation Committee at Bin H. Placerville postoffice, stating the number and type of trucks available, their capacity in tons and in persons with baggage, with the owner's name, address and phone number, or phone number through which he may most easily be reached. The owner should also state whether he will drive his truck.

Qualified volunteer drivers also will be registered by the transportation committee and such volunteers are asked to register their name, occupation and truck driving experience.

GRAND JURY CALLED TO CLOSE YEAR'S WORK DECEMBER 30

District Attorney Henry S. Lyon revealed Tuesday that the county Grand Jury for 1941 has been called to meet at the courthouse on Tuesday morning, December 30th.

Business of the meeting will be to conclude the work of the Grand Jury for the year.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Rantz are spending Christmas with their son, Dr. Lowell A. Rantz, and Mrs. Rantz, at San Francisco.

BRITISH HOLD HONG KONG DEFENSES

Gen. MacArthur Reports Forces Giving As Good Or Better Than Received

By JOE ALEX MORRIS U. P. Foreign News Editor

American and British forces in the Far East smashed back at Japan today.

In the Philippines Gen. Douglas MacArthur's crack fighting men blasted at the 80,000 to 100,000 Japanese invaders along Lingayen Gulf. They were reported to have sunk three Japanese transports, crammed with possibly 3,000 to 5,000 Japanese troops.

From Hong Kong came a dramatic dispatch from United Press staff correspondent George Baxter, the first in seven days.

Baxter revealed Hong Kong's heroic garrison not only was still holding out but was scoring "local successes" against the overwhelming Japanese attack.

The Baxter dispatch appeared to discredit Japanese propaganda dispatches indicating that the fighting at Hong Kong was nearing an end.

Despite the fierce resistance at Hong Kong the British had little hope that the defending forces could hold out indefinitely provided the Japanese are willing to pay the price in men killed and wounded to storm the fortress peaks of the island.

The fighting in the Philippines was the hardest of the war. But MacArthur indicated that American and Filipino troops, long concentrated in Lingayen Gulf in anticipation of a major Japanese effort there, are giving as good as they receive or better.

The American defense lines was said to be north of Damort, about 35 miles north of the curving gulf short from the town of Lingayen.

American tanks engaged the Japanese land forces and American artillery, including big coastal guns, blasted at the Japanese transport fleet.

The Japanese stepped up their air activity in the Philippines to cover the major expeditionary force but it was indicated that the U. S. air force was meeting the Japanese challenge.

The Japanese claimed that they had completed successfully their landing at Davao on the southern coast of Mindanao Island. U. S. re-

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Farm Defense Heads Meet

Coordination Will Be Theme Of Conference On Tuesday Evening

Members of the county Farming for Defense board and other leaders in agriculture and related agencies in the county are to meet this evening at the office of the Farm Advisor in a conference called by the Farm Advisor.

Mr. Lilley indicated that the purpose of the conference is in the interest of a complete coordination of effort in the Farming for Defense program.

The conference will discuss the various phases of the program with particular reference to El Dorado county and will seek to develop a joint responsibility of supervision and effort to the end that the requirements of the program may be thoroughly understood by every farmer, and to the end that the farmer will be assured of every facility at the committee's disposal in meeting the problems of operation and production which the Farming for Defense program may present.

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Dec. 19-3t

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S. F. Markets

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Butter — 92 score 36; 91 score 35; 90 score 33 1/2; 89 score 32 1/2.

Cheese—Wholesale flat 24; trip-lets 23 1/2.

Eggs—Large 37 1/2; medium 33 1/2; large standards 32 1/2; small 30 1/2.

Central California Eggs—Large grade A 40; medium grade A 34; small grade A 32.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Immer have gone to Stockton for the winter. Mr. Immer being employed there.

On The Air Tonight

5 to 6 P. M.

KFBK—News; 5:10 What's Doing in Town; 5:15 Christmas Show; 5:30 Music; 5:45 Tom Mix.

KROY—Alvino Rey; 5:30, News; 5:40, Waltz Time; 5:55, News.

KSFO—News; 5:15, Judy and Jane; 5:30 Studio; 5:45 News.

KPO—Don Winslow, 5:15 Tea Time 5:30 Horace Heidt.

KGO—Adventure Stories; 5:15, Flying Patrol; 5:30, News; 5:45, Tom Mix.

KFRK—News Broadcast; 5:15, Shafter Parker Circus; 5:30 Captain Midnight; 5:45, Jack Armstrong.

6 to 7 P. M.

KFBK—Burns and Allen; 6:30 Fibber McGee and Molly.

KROY—Evening Altar; 6:15, News; 6:30 Stevens and Yeo; 6:30 Alice in Wonderland; 6:45 News.

KSFO—Second Husband; 6:30, Report to the Nation.

KPO—See KFBK.

KGO—Judy Splinters; 6:05 Organ; 6:15 Ricardo; 6:30 N. B. C. Symphony.

KFRK—Gabriel Heatter; 6:30, Studio Program; 6:30 News; 6:45 Envoys.

7 to 8 P. M.

KFBK—Monica; 7:05 Evening Symphonettes; 7:25 the News; 7:30, Treasury Hour.

KROY—Dinner Serenade; 7:15 the Public Affairs Program; 7:30 Juan Arvizu; 7:45 Trio.

KSFO—Glenn Miller; 7:15, Public Affairs; 7:30 Don Glendon.

KPO—Bob Hope Program; 7:30, Red Skelton.

KGO—Symphony; 7:30 Treasury Hour.

KFRK—John B. Hughes; 7:15, Name Bands; 7:30 Studio and Sports.

8 to 9 P. M.

KFBK—To be Announced; 8:30, Information Please.

KROY—Popular Recordings; 8:30, Missing Heirs.

KSFO—Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15, Lanny Ross; 8:30, Court of Missing Heirs.

KPO—Pleasure Time; 8:15, Lum and Abner; 8:30, Johnny Presents.

KGO—Treasury Hour; 8:30 Information Please.

KFRK—Studio; 8:25 All Say Yes; 8:30 Shadow; 9:55 News.

9 to 10 P. M.

KFBK—Easy Aces; 9:15, Studio; 9:25, News; 9:30, Battle of the Sexes.

KSFO—We the People; 9:30 Arkansas Traveler; 9:55 They All Say Yes.

KROY—We the People; 9:30 the News; 9:35 Popular Recordings.

KPO—The Thin Man; 9:30, Battle of the Sexes.

KGO—Easy Aces; 9:15 S. F. Symphony 30th Anniversary; 9:30, the Christmas Seal Program.

KFRK—News; 9:15 Story Teller; 9:30 News; 9:45 Flying Feet.

10 to 11 P. M.

KFBK—Studio Program.

KROY—Thornhill Orchestra; 10:30 music.

KSFO—News; 10:15, William Win-

ter; 10:25 Studio.

KPO—News, 10:15, On Our Bandstand; 10:30, Concert Hall.

KGO—Wilde's Orchestra; 10:30 Ravazza's Orchestra.

KFRK—10:15 Ray Noble; 10:30 the News; 10:45 Orchestra.

11 to 12 Midnight

KFBK—Happy Gordon; 11:30, Organ; 11:45, News.

KROY—Stevens and Yeo; 11:30, Fanfare; 11:55 News.

KSFO—News; 11:30 Symphony Hall; 11:40 Manny Strand; 11:55 News.

KPO—Happy Gordon, 11:30, Organ Rhythm.

KGO—News; 11:13, Music You Want; 11:30 Nocturne; 12:00 the Merry Go Round.

KFRK—Crosby Orchestra; 11:30, Weems Orchestra.

MOSQUITO NEWS NOTES

Mosquito District School had its Christmas party last Saturday night and was attended by almost fifty people. The Morton and the Melchior families have had three generations to attend the Mosquito school, and the three generations of the Melchior family were represented by Mr. Wm. Melchior, two of his daughters, Mrs. Lois Beckett and Mrs. Marjorie Darrington, and his granddaughter, Letitia Beckett who is now attending.

Other alumni present were W. Alan Swansborough and Josephine Harrison Mrs. Eva Bliss, and Reggie Darr. And a former teacher of the school, Mrs. Ruby Melchior, was also there. Mr. Ed Morton was always the Santa Claus at the school Xmas parties in the past year, and was also Santa Claus at this year's party. There was a present and box of candy on the tree for everyone.

The boys and girls of the school, under the direction of Mrs. Mable Tupper, presented a very nice and very enjoyable program, and each did their part mightily well. Coffee and cookies were served after the entertainment. The school was presented with a piano by the "Busy Mosquitos" and the club wishes to extend thanks to all who so freely contributed to the dinners, parties, etc., in their efforts to earn the money. The club also gave the school room window shades and sash curtains about three weeks ago.

Mrs. Adams and Eletha returned last Friday from a trip to Los Angeles, San Diego and Mexico. They had been away for almost two weeks. Mrs. Adams' mother returned home with her. While Mrs. Adams was away, Lloyd Gutman's parents took care of the place, and Lloyd went home with his mother and father last Saturday, but will return for the opening of school.

Mr. Jennings at the Hartzig place has been very ill, but last reports were that he is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Darrington came from Placerville for the school party last Saturday night.

JOB INSURANCE REFUNDS AVAILABLE ON NON-PAID CORPORATION OFFICERS

SACRAMENTO — The California Employment Commission today announced it would refund contributions paid into the unemployment fund to corporations taxable under an old rule which held non-paid officers were employees, provided proper claim is made and established by such corporations.

Many corporations prior to June 20, 1939, when the commission adopted a new rule holding that non-paid officers were not employees unless taxed for old age insurance, paid contributions into the fund, and to date have not requested refunds, the commission announced.

No estimate can be made of the contributions which may be refunded under the new procedure, R. G. Wagenet, director of the Department of Employment said, but it is known that many small corporations, such as lodges, labor unions, and those having only one or two paid employees, will be entitled to refunds under the new procedure.

Corporations desiring to take advantage of the refund action must comply with provisions of Section 45.11 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, Wagenet said, which provides applications must be made not later than three years after the contributions erroneously collected became due.

3 COORDINATORS NAMED ON CIVIL DEFENSE ACTIVITIES

SAN FRANCISCO—Appointment of three coordinators to the staff of the Ninth Regional Office of Civilian Defense was announced here today by Jack H. Helms, Acting Director of the Ninth Area.

George L. Levison, San Francisco insurance broker, will direct activities and establish programs for the evacuation of civilian populations, should that become necessary. Helms said. He will coordinate the programs and plans of the various local and state organizations and between the federal, state and local agencies involved.

Lou Richardson, San Francisco, former editor of Sunset Magazine and an associate editor of Better Homes and Gardens, has been appointed as Director of Group Activities. Helms said. Her work will be with organizations and clubs in the Ninth Region.

Larry Price, appraiser for the Los Angeles County Assessor, has been selected as coordinator of veterans' activities. Price is a member of both the American Legion and of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Albert Lewis and Janis Ball are home for the holidays from their studies at the University.

Lyle Smith is home for the holidays from studies at the Branch College of Agriculture, at Davis.

Walter Clark was in town Tuesday from Garden Valley.

CALIFORNIA FARM PARADE

By United Press

Agricultural leaders say American farmers face the greatest task in their history. The farms of the nation must feed and clothe the armies and people of this country and help feed and clothe millions more who are fighting with us.

It isn't a one year job. The nation faces a long hard struggle. Next year's staggering farm production may yet be dwarfed by greater efforts in the years that follow.

But American agriculture is ready for any fight. The people of the country can be thankful that there'll be plenty to eat and wear regardless. We won't have starvation rations like people in Europe must endure.

Farm production this year was of record proportions. There even is some left over from other years. But next year, farmers are promising to produce so much more that it's difficult to imagine.

Reports of the farm production census are not yet complete. But the great majority of farmers already have filled out the production sheets which indicate exactly what they plan to raise next year. These incomplete totals show that there'll be some ten or more billion pounds of milk next year. There'll

be close to a 500,000,000 dozen more eggs. There'll be about 10,000,000 more hogs.

And more chickens, and more soybeans. Farmers are promising more than has been requested of nearly every product needed.

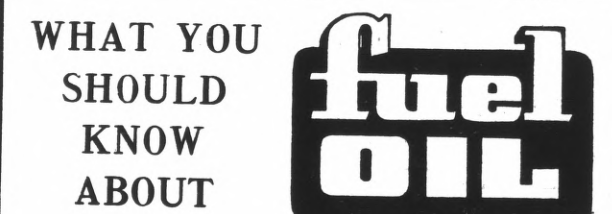
But that isn't the whole task. Now as ever before, farming has become a planned and organized industry. It must be that way. The nations strength and its very vital war efforts depends on the strength of American agriculture.

There must be no shortage above all. But also there must be no waste of productive energy because of surpluses. So farmers face the war effort not as individuals but as organized industry.

The days of the typical independent farmer must be forgotten for a time. The outcome of the war and the very life of the nation depends on a cooperative effort.

New Mexico Skis Early

SANTA FE, N. M., (UP)—Winter sports have begun in New Mexico and with 12 of the state's 13 developed areas ready for ski enthusiasts, this year's season is expected to be one of the best in the state's history. The Rocky Mountain Ski Association has approved ski meets in the state.



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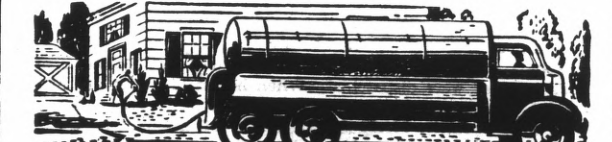
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Public Notice

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION TO MORTGAGE REAL PROPERTY

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of El Dorado.

In the Matter of the Estate of LULU J. SUMNER, Deceased.

No. 2323

CLAIR MERVYN SUMNER, the Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Lulu J. Sumner, deceased, having filed herein his verified petition praying for an order to mortgage certain real estate described in said petition, and alleging that it is necessary to mortgage the said real estate to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, the legacies provided in the last will of deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration of said estate of deceased;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested in the said estate to appear before the said Superior Court on FRIDAY the 26th day of December, 1941, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the courtroom of said Superior Court at the court house in Placerville, County of El Dorado, State of California, to show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be granted to the said Executor authorizing and directing him to borrow the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) or such lesser amount as to the court shall seem meet, and to mortgage the real property of the said estate described as follows, to-wit:

An undivided three-fourths interest in and to Lots 1, 2, and 3, Block 41 as the same are marked, designated and numbered on the official map and in the field notes of the Official survey of the city of Placerville, county of El Dorado, now on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of El Dorado.

Reference is hereby made to said petition, filed herein, for further particulars.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1941.

ARTHUR J. KOLETZKE, Clerk

By Gladys Gardella, Deputy.

(SEAL) Plville Republican Dec 15-126 10dy.

Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS

1—Hurried

2—Allowance for

3—Girl's name

4—Baked clay

5—Solitary

6—Ditch

Neighborhood NEWS

COOL NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lovejoy have moved down from Pino Grande where Mr. Lovejoy has been employed the past season.

Mr. and Mrs. Nickerson and daughter Lois of Auburn spent Friday evening with their daughter Mrs. Alfred Brady and attended the Cave Valley school program.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brady and daughters, Elthamora and Barbara, attended the Greenwood school dance Friday.

John and Donald Lindquist were in Greenwood Friday evening.

The annual Christmas party of the Pilot Hill Grange was well attended. After the program gifts were distributed. Refreshments of candy, popcorn, nuts, apples, sandwiches and coffee were served.

Much credit and praise was given the teacher of Cave Valley school for the beautiful program of Friday evening. Of course the main attraction was the entrance of Santa and the gifts he passed to all the children. There was an abundance of candy, nuts and apples. A Merry Christmas to all.

CAMINO NEWS NOTES

The following were received last week, too late for publication:

Eighty-four pupils are now enrolled in our school. Pupils who have not been absent nor tardy since opening of school in September include: Primary, Susan Sims, Cora Mae Bolles, Joanne Thomas and others are Tom Blue, Taylor Robert, Juan Pirtle, Richard Sims, Edith Allison, Winifred Gordon, Richard Sherb, Elaine Braden, Ted Ball, Wainita Buchanan, Garland Durham, Eleanor Dietz, Lois Stroud, Kathleen Schaffer, Billy Ligman, Betty Horne, Nita Wygersma, Harold Ball, Merrill Gaunt, Jeanette Bolles, Irene Fisher, Don Lee Pirtle, Orvel Allison, Emma Gordon, Kenneth Potts, Betty Mae Durham and eighth grade, Gerald Braden, Leo Steneck, Lee Sweet, Doris Nelson, Maxine Matthews, Don Hook, Helen Fisher, Gloria Steneck.

On the honor roll are Garland Durham, Kathleen Schaffer, Donna Nelson, Betty Mae Durham, Flora Pratt, Barbara Harrod, Don Lee Pirtle, Doris Nelson, Joe Huot, Don Hook, Maxine Matthews, Gloria Steneck, Lee Sweet and Gerald

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Looming large in the Montgomery Street financial district, Bank of America's ultra-modern San Francisco head office building was dedicated December 9 by A. P. Giannini, founder of the statewide banking institution.

This newest evidence of California's growth is a full block long and rises twelve stories. In his dedication address Mr. Giannini pointed out that "this building is an asset to every community in California, a reservoir of technical experience and financial resources instantly ready to lend its assistance wherever needed."

At the same time Mr. Giannini announced that California had achieved a Two Billion Dollar bank, resources of Bank of America having passed that figure. This is the first time this record has ever been achieved by any bank outside New York City.

Braden.

Miss Frances Barrett, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Rice, a graduate of the El Dorado county high school and Sacramento Junior College and a graduate nurse of the Children's Hospital in San Francisco of the Class of 1939, who has been with the Placerville Sanatorium staff since, was the first graduate nurse to leave this county for U. S. Army service and wear the gold bar. Miss Barrett left last week for Moffitt Air Field near Sunnyvale.

John Montgomery and family attended a family reunion of thirty guests at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Montgomery at Fair Oaks on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carsten were in the county seat on Saturday. Edgar Reese and family of Sacramento spent Wednesday here with the former's folks. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery had a dinner party for their son, William's birthday last week. The guests were Mr. and Mesdames Everett Rypinski of Davis, E. E. Stermer and Sonora Timmons of Richmond, Mrs. Thomas Stermer, Geo. and Elmer Stermer, Maxine Bergantz, Mrs. Ora Stermer, Placerville, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Montgomery, Alvin and Ray La Cure of Fair Oaks.

COLOMA NEWS NOTES

Our old Episcopal Church was filled Sunday with friends who came to witness the wedding of Miss Lillian Elizabeth Metcalf and Gordon Allen Carman shortly after the noon hour. The bride was charming in a navy blue tailored suit with hat to match, and corsage spray of gardenias. Mrs. Nellie Carman of Sparks, Nevada, mother of the bridegroom and Homer Metcalf, father of the bride, attended the couple. Rev. Castledine of the Placerville Episcopal Church officiated and Mrs. Leo Akin was organist. Jack Cummings and Frank Gallagher were ushers. A reception was held at the Metcalf home, after which the couple left, amid showers attend the wedding were the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Money, of Napa, Mrs. Lois C. Adams, of Chico, sister of the bridegroom, and Dr. George Oveido and family of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Barnes returned Thursday from a month's vacation which took them down the coast to Ventura, on to Boulder Dam, and through the grand Canyon of Arizona; Oak Creek Canyon which Zane Grey made famous, thence to Phoenix, Arizona, and they ate at the famous Christmas Tree Inn, unique in many ways; and visited the two attractions there, the completely equipped Doll House and the house of the Three Little Piggies, from Mother Goose, complete with a big, bad wolf getting ready to slide down the chimney. Every year Santa Claus post office gets letters from children all over the country asking not to be forgotten.

The Sunday school here will present their pageant under the direction of Rev. and Mrs. E. Castledine at our Community Hall Friday evening January 2nd, and everybody, young and old, are asked to come out and make merry with them.

Tommie Hall, a former Coloma boy now located in Sacramento, was calling on Coloma friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Papina were up from Sacramento over the weekend looking after property interests here.

Mrs. Bessie McBride and N. Y. Vernon were among those from Coloma who attended the Shakespeare Choral concert in Placerville Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. Linda Cameen Lundberg, a former Coloma girl some years ago, visited Mrs. E. De Lory last week. She has sold her house in San Francisco and with her two children moved to Placerville, where she will live at the former home of Father Barrett on Coloma road.

Mrs. Jack Huston is in Los Angeles on a business and pleasure trip.

Misses Alice and Helen Gallagher are home from Sacramento for the Christmas holidays.

Wm. Stearns has returned from a visit of several weeks spent in the bay region.

Mrs. Bessie McBride and N. Y. Vernon were in Sacramento Thursday evening to hear the colored singer, Paul Robeson at the auditorium. Needless to say both singer and the orchestra were greatly enjoyed.

joyed.

Next Sunday, Dec. 28, there will be union church services in our old Episcopal Church at the usual hour, 3 p. m. They will be conducted by Rev. Rudkin of the Placerville Federated church, Rev. Edwin Castleline of the Episcopal church, Bishop Noel Porter of Sacramento will also be here. We older ones, and those not so old, can remember the very successful union Sunday school and church services we had under the guidance of the late Wm. Nichols. We have the people, let us rally around and once again hear the old school house bell calling us to come.

GEORGETOWN NEWS NOTES

Rain and more rain has been the weather the past week up to Monday.

Rev. Jesse Rudkin and Mrs. Rudkin were over from Placerville Sunday afternoon to assist in the Christmas exercises given by the Sunday school children at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. Dora Crawford, who has been detained at the homes of her daughters, Mrs. Susie Gregory, at Oakland, and Mrs. Hattie Davey, at Placerville, for the last two months by illness, has returned to her home.

Miss Helen Francis was up from Sacramento over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Murdock have returned to their station for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vandewater and Mrs. Alta Douglas were Auburn shoppers Friday.

The Christmas pageant given Friday evening, December 19 at the I. O. O. F. Hall by the pupils of the Georgetown school under the direction of the teachers, Mrs. Annie Heindel and Miss Victorine Hough was very well presented and was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience. Santa Claus distributed gifts to every child from a big gaily decorated Christmas tree.

A splendid Christmas entertainment was given at the Canyon Creek school house Thursday evening, December 18 under the direction of the teacher, Mrs. Florence Pratt, assisted by Mrs. Ethel Breedlove as musician. presents were presented to everyone—among them was a beautiful quilt for Mrs. Pratt from the Canyon Creek ladies. The program follows: National Anthem, God Bless America; song, "Good Evening," by school; drill, "The Holiday," by lower grades; tonettes by the upper grades; tonettes by the lower grades; rhythm band, by lower grades; dialogue, "Xmas at Barney McGee's," by sixteen pupils; A Christmas Pageant, by school; song, "Santa's on his way," by school.

Installation of the newly elected officers of Mountain Fern Chapter, No. 62, O. E. S. and Georgetown Lodge No. 25, F. & A. M. took place Saturday evening Dec. 20 at the Masonic Hall. This was preceded by a 6:30 o'clock turkey dinner. Mountain Fern chapter officers were installed by the retiring matron Delia Carrick and retiring patron John Carrick, assisted by installing marshal, Mrs. Zella Healey, Grand

Chaplain Hattie E. Presley and Mrs. Gladys Collins, musician. After the new matron, Mae Higgins, was installed, little Loretta Collins presented her with a beautiful bouquet of red rose buds. The patron was presented with a rose bud boutonniere by Robert Irish. After the star points were installed, Lois Collins, Norma Lee Cheek, Audrey Irish, Lois Evans, and Arleen Vivier of the Order of Rainbow for girls presented beautiful bouquets to them: blue corn flowers to Adah; yellow chrysanthemums to Ruth; white

chrysanthemums to Esther; maiden hair fern to Martha, and red carnations to Electa. Mrs. Gladys Collins, a past matron, presented the retiring matron, Delia Carrick with a past matron's jewel, set in a lovely ring. She responded in a very gracious manner and said she enjoyed the privilege of serving the chapter and members the past year. Mrs. Nettie Leonard sang the beautiful song, "Star of the East," to an appreciative audience. Officers installed were Worthy Matron, Mae Higgins; Worthy Patron, Howard E. Higgins; Associate Matron, Nettie Leonard; Associate Patron Joseph Leonard; Secretary, Alta Douglas; treasurer, Dwight Douglas; Conductress, Jessie French; Associate Conductress, Mabel Veerkamp; The appointive officers were: Marshal, Delia Carrick; Organist, Gladys Collins; Adah, Ethel Irish; Ruth, Leah Hurley; Esther, Nellie Vandewater; Martha, Zella Healey; Electa, Nellie Schlein; Warder, Dora Crawford; Sentinel, George A. French. The following Masons were installed by Harry Jasper, assisted by H. Carter, as master of ceremonies and Delia Carrick, musician: Master George Henry Schlein; Senior Warden, John H. Van Artsdalen; Junior Warden, Fred Walburn; Treasurer, Dwight Douglas; Secretary, Herman Youngson; Chaplain, Harry Carter; Senior Deacon, George A. French; Junior Deacon; Francis Richards; Marshall, Howard Higgins; Senior Steward, Sam Spiras; Tyler, Oliver P. Demuth. Inspector Harry Jasper presented the retiring master, Howard Higgins, with a past master's jewel. Those present from out of town included: Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Panning, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Silva, Dr. and Mrs. H. I. Sharnan, Mrs. Ethel Van Vleck and Ellsworth Willard, all of Placerville.

First Football Seen at 92 LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP)—J. K. Milwee saw his first football game shortly before his 92nd birthday. Said Milwee: "That's not so rough, by cracky!"

NAVY RECRUITS MAY SPEND CHRISTMAS AT HOME, SAYS ANNOUNCEMENT

The Navy recruiting station at San Francisco has asked that the widest possible publicity be given the following announcement:

"The Navy Department estimates that it will be necessary to enlist and grant leave to many new recruits during the remainder of December and during January. All Navy recruits both regulars and reserves are hereby notified that they may be granted leave if they desire to return home until after Christmas. Recruits will be recalled as necessary Friday, December 26 and Saturday, December 27, to fill training station quotas. After Christmas, leave will be granted to recruits as necessary if in excess of weekly quotas. It is the desire of the Navy Department that recruiting continue at the highest possible pace as the facilities of Naval training stations will be greatly increased the latter part of January. Navy recruiting stations will remain closed from 4:00 p. m. December 24 until 8:00 a. m., December 26.

NOVEMBER TRAFFIC TOLL IN 21 DISTRICTS OF STATE INCREASES

SACRAMENTO, (AP)—The state highway patrol report today that statistics from 21 squad areas show 59 persons were killed in 45 accidents on rural roads in California last month.

In November last year, 56 persons were killed in 50 accidents, the patrols reported.

James M. Carter, director of motor vehicles, said in a report to Gov. Culbert Olson:

"It must be pointed out that the figures represent less than half the square areas within the state and those reporting are not among the defense area squads which have been experiencing a large part of the current increase in accidents."

U. S. Sinks 3 Transports

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ports on the Davao operation were scanty.

On the Singapore front there was little action at the moment but the British momentarily expected news of the start of a major battle on the new defense line about 300 miles north of Singapore.

On the Russian front the Soviets hammered away at the Malayarslavets salient, about 70 miles to the southwest of Moscow. At the start of their drive this was the most distant line in the Moscow circle. Now it is one of the closest to the Soviet capital.

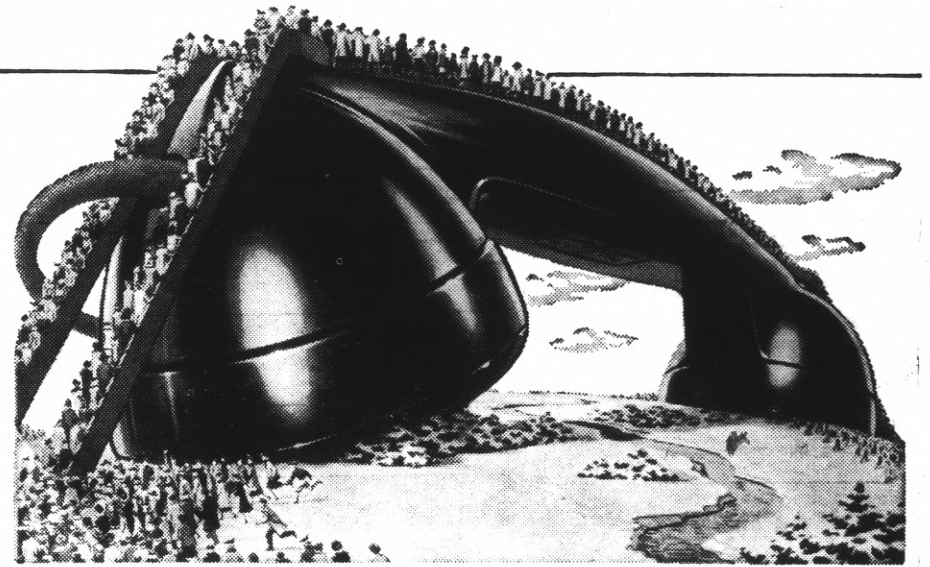
In Africa the British swept on. British forces took Cyrene and Apollonia in their advance on Benghazi and appeared to have planted sizeable forces in the rear of Gen. Erwin Rommel's main forces which are seeking to retreat toward Tripoli. Whether the British had enough troops and tanks west of Rommel to cut him off from his main base was not yet clear.

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DIARY of a BEAUTY AUTHORITY by Helena Rubinstein

The importance of diet is brought out in today's article by the world famed beauty authority, Helena Rubinstein.

For many years I have been telling women to "eat for beauty," to consider the food which they select for their meals as very much a part of their beauty routine as their facial cleansing or cosmetic applications.

The theory that food is health and health is beauty, though heart-

diets of fruits and herbs which were to give them rare beauty.

And in the middle ages, court physicians prescribed various diets for the royal ladies to give them health, youth and beauty.

Only in modern times, however, thanks to fast express trains bringing fresh fruits and vegetables from country to city, has the opportunity to select "food for beauty" each made available to all of us.

Today, a woman who would be slender, clear-eyed and charged with endless vitality, which is so important a component of charm and beauty, has only to regulate her eating habits through a diet of sun-ripened raw fruits and vegetables. This low caloric food, taken in proper quantities, will feed you adequately without adding weight, and will give you wonderful energy and

radiance.

Sometime ago, in an earlier article, I mentioned my Seven Day Diet chart which I offered to send to anyone who would write to me. If you didn't write at that time, or if you are a new reader who didn't see the article, my offer still holds good. Just write to me in care of this newspaper and a self-explanatory and detailed chart will be mailed to you.

DON'T CANCEL XMAS PARTIES, BUT BE PREPARED FOR BLACKOUT, ADVICE

Christmas parties and social gatherings contribute to morale—so don't cancel them unless they interfere with civilian defense measures.

This advice came from the regional Office of Civilian Defense today following dozens of inquiries from groups and individuals who had planned Christmas parties of varying size, and wondered whether they should be cancelled.

Jack Helms, acting regional director of OCD, made the following suggestions in connection with such social activities:

1. Be sure the hotel, club room or private home in which the gathering will be held can be blacked out.
2. Plan to arrive at the place before darkness.
3. Avoid traffic congestion which might impede the flow of emergency vehicles. Choose other routes to reach the place, and make sure your auto lights are out after you park.

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12¢

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POTATOES — POUND CELLO BAG

10¢

Make this the best holiday dinner you ever had. Serve only food you know to be best quality. These specials listed below are sure to help you put over the Christmas dinner the way you want it.

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MAYONNAISE

HARVEST MOON — QUART JAR

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FRUIT COCKTAIL

SACRAMENTO BRAND

2 No. 1 tall cans 25¢

SHREDDED WHEAT

N. B. C. PACKAGE

11¢

GRAPEJUICE

WELCH'S Quart Bottle

39¢

Pint Bottle 21¢

WINE

MONTEBELLO, SWEET
GALLON (Bring Container)

\$1.09

COFFEE

HILL'S RED CAN 2-POUND CAN

61¢

1-POUND CAN 31¢

CIDER

APPLE C.C.C. Brand
GALLON

49¢

MIXED NUTS

FANCY S&W PACK

POUND

27¢

Pickles

RELISHES, Etc., to complete your Menu

Catsup

Lady's Choice 14-oz. Bottle

10¢

Shortening

PEARL, 4-lb. ctn. Clean-up price

49¢

Westlake, Golden Bantam

Corn - 2 No. 2 cans 25¢

Peas

Westlake No. 2 Cans 2 cans 25¢

Corn

Tastewell, whole kernel, 12-oz. can 10¢

Beets

Tastewell, sliced No. 2 Can 10¢

LIBBY'S

Corned Beef 12-oz. Can 23¢

Liver Loaf

E-Z Serve 12-oz. can 25¢

Apricots

Dainty Mix No. 1 can 10¢

S&W PURE

Apple Juice 12-oz. Cans 2 for 25¢

DOLE

Pineapple Juice 46-oz. Can 28¢

V-8—Eight different juices in one can

Cocktail 10¢

MEAT & POULTRY

TOBIN'S SKINNED TENDERIZED

HAMS Picnic pound 30¢

PORK ROAST

Shoulders as cut lb. 26¢

RATH'S BULK

Mince Meat 2 lbs. 25¢

PURE PORK LINK

Sausage pound 32¢



Clorox quarts 2 bottles 27¢

Scott Toilet Tissue 3 rolls 20¢

Waldorf Toilet Tissue 3 rolls 13¢

Scott Towels 3 rolls 27¢

Oxydol Giant pkg. large pkg. 60¢ 21¢

Boraxo Reg. Cans 2 for 25¢

Camay Toilet Soap 4 bars 25¢

Lifebuoy Health Soap 4 bars 25¢

STERLING SILVER ROSEBUD PIN 15¢ AND 1 DASH BOX TOP

Lge. 27¢ Gt. 50¢

PINEAPPLE

HILLSDALE

2 Large No. 2 1/2 cans 35¢

STRING BEANS

BRIARDALE, Asparagus Pack

2 No. 2 Cans 29¢

OLIVES

MATMOR — RIPE

2 TALL CANS 25¢

SUGAR

BROWN OR POWDERED

4-POUND CELLO BAG 27¢

TOMATO JUICE

LIBBY'S

4 14-OUNCE CANS 25¢

HUNGRY JACK

Pancake Flour No. 10 bag 49¢

4-POUND BAG 23¢

Crackers

Snowflake 2-lb. package 29¢

Ritz Crackers

Pound pkg. 20¢

NONE-SUCH

Mince Meat 2 9-oz. pkgs. 25¢

28-OUNCE CAN 28¢

Pumpkin

Libby's or Del Monte

LARGE No. 2 1/2 CANS 10¢

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2 POUNDS 25¢



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SALAD TIME

Asparagus all green tips 2 picnic tins 29¢

CRANBERRIES

LATE HOWE 2 POUNDS 45¢

Jello

Assorted flavors Package 5¢

Mince Meat

Pennant, Fancy Pack

30-oz. JAR 35¢

Montser

Gum Drops

Gum-Drops, Orange Slices and Jelly Beans

2 POUNDS 25¢

PLUM PUDDING

R & R BRAND 2-POUND CAN 49¢

Candy - Chocolate Peanut Clusters, 1-lb. 23¢

HOLIDAY FRUITS, VEGETABLES

FANCY APPLES, ORANGES, BANANAS, CRISP CELERY, LETTUCE, CAULIFLOWER, YAMS, SWEET POTATOES, ETC.

14 OUNCE BOTTLE 19¢

Minced Clams

PIONEER No. 1/2 CAN 15¢

Oysters

WESTLAKE

5 OUNCE CAN 17 1/2¢

10 OUNCE CAN 35¢

Shrimp

DUNBAR Dry Pack, 5-oz can

EACH 20¢

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